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State Tribal Economic Development Commission (STEDC)

9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Wednesday, May 17, 2023

Best Western Plus Havre Inn & Suites

1425 Hwy 2 NW, Havre, MT

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AGENDA

Updated 5/11/2023

9:00 AM	Call to Order	Chairman Gerald Gray
	Roll Call	Marilyn Willson
	Opening Prayer	TBA
	Welcome	Chairman Gerald Gray
9:15 AM	Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items	
9:25 AM	Approval of February 15, 2023 Minutes	
9:30 AM	Small Business Association (SBA) Programs	Martin DeWitt – Senior Area Manager – Billings
10:00 AM	Reports	
	• Tribal Tourism	Rachelle Brown
10:30 AM	Break	
10:45 AM	Reports Continued	
	• OICED Program update including the Robert’s Rules of Order, Tribal Business Development Grant (TBDG) Update, & RES 2023 Conference Update	Marilyn Willson
	• Legislative Update	Liane Taylor

11:15 AM	Center for Indian Country Development’s Data Initiative that aligns with Sect. 7 of HB19	Casey Lozar, Andrew Huff, & Heather Sobrepena – Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis
12:00 PM	Lunch	
1:00 PM	REPORTS Continued <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IEF and NABA Programs 	Luke Robinson
1:30 PM	Community Planning Platform	Mary Craigle – RIS Bureau Chief/Census Manager, Dept. of Commerce
2:00 PM	Break	
2:15 PM	Updates on Indigenous Celebration: Gathering of Families	Brandon Fish & Travis Wilmore – International Traditional Games Society
3:00 PM	Other Business Adjourn	

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